IAP13 Rec'd PCT/PTO 07 DEC 2006 ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER FORM PTO-1390 **CELL-0316** U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES U.S. APPLICATION NO. (if known see 37 CFR 1.5) DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) 10/580,164 CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. 21 November 2003 (21.11.2003) and 30 July 16 November 2004 (16.11.2004) 2004 (30.07.2004) PCT/GB2004/004850 TITLE OF INVENTION METHOD FOR THE TREATMENT OF MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS BY INHIBITING IL-17 ACTIVITY APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Mark Ian CHRISTIE; Richard James MEAD; Martyn Kim ROBINSON and Stephen Edward RAPECKI Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information: This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. 1. This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must 2. 3. include items (5), (6), (9), and (21) indicated below. The US has been elected (Article 31). 4. A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)). is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). 5. has been communicated by the International Bureau. is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US). b. 🔲 An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)). 6. is attached hereto. has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)) 7. are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). have been communicated by the International Bureau. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. b. 🔲 c. 🔲 have not been made and will not be made. An English translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)). 8. An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) 35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4). 9. An English translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 10. (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)). Items 11. to 20. below concern other document(s) or information included: An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is 11. 12. included. A preliminary amendment. 13. An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76. 14. A substitute specification. 15. A power of attorney and/or change of address letter. A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.182-16.

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